

U.S. Rep. Sanford Bishop Jr. has been recognized by Military Spouse Magazine for his work on behalf of military families and a commitment to help those serving in the armed forces.

Bishop, who represents the 2nd Congressional District which includes south Columbus and Fort Benning, received the honor during the magazine's annual Military Spouse of the Year Luncheon.

"This award will give me even more determination to continue fighting for our service members, their spouses and their families," said Bishop, D-Albany.

Bishop, a strong supporter of military families throughout his career, and Rep. Cathy McMorris-Rodgers co-chair the Congressional Military Caucus.

Bishop is also the ranking member of the House Appropriations Subcommittee on Military Construction, Veterans Affairs and Related Agencies, which has held hearings on issues facing military families.